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AND OPTICAL DISK DRIVE USING THE
MEDIUM JUDGMENT METHOD

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated February 1, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1-20, and the Advisory Action dated May 21, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.